ROANOKE, VIRGINIA, WEDNESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 15, 1-90.

## STOCK AND GOODWILL

## BARGAIN

The entire stock

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, ETC.,

which has been reduced by the recent ost sale, will be closed out to any one wishing a

## GOOD BUSINESS

as well as a good stand at a

LIBERAL DISCOUNT. But wish to say, until such arrange- FULL LINE of Plush Coats, Jackets,

ments are made, we will continue to sell

## AT AND BELOW COST.

We still have nearly everything desired. 4 to 16 years. All wool silk wraps, 38-uch heuriettas sold for \$1, at 75 cts; all wool silk finish, 46-inch henriettas, sold for \$1, sold at 75 ets.; all wool 46-inch henrietta, sold for 85 cts. now 62½ cts., all wool 38-inch henriettas, sold for 50 cts. now 37½ cts.; all wool 38-inch henriettas, sold for 37½ cts. now 25 cts.

### IN CLOAKS

We have a full line of plush wraps, modjeskas, newmarkets, and jackets, and we can save you the profits other ouses are making.

## IN STAPLE GOODS

WE HAVE

Fruit of the loom, bleach, 8½ cts. Lonsdale, bleach, 8½ cts. Lonsdale, cambric, 1½ cts. Wamprosutta, bleach, 11 cts. New York mills, 11 cts. Pride of the West, bleach, 12½ cts. Forsyth, 4-4 brown cotton, 6 cts. Dundee, 4-4 brown cotton 6 ets. Mohawk Vailey, 10-4 blenched sheet

ing for 24 ets , worth 30 ets. Utica, 10-4 bleached sheeting for 27

cts, worth 35 cts. Pepperall. 104 bleached sheeting.

221 cts. Clark's O. N. T. spool cotton, 4 ets

per spool, 43 et . per dozen. It will pay you to examine our stock before purchasing.

# WM.F.BAKER&CO.

134 Salem avenue.

LARGE AND ATTRACTIVE SALE OF DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, &C., AT AUCTION.

In order to make a clean sweep and do it quickly. We have placed our entire stock in the hands of G. L. Stevens to be closed out by auction. The sale will commence on THURS-DAY MORNING, January 16th, at 10 DAY MORNING, January 16th, at 10 o'clock, and continue from day to day until closed out. We have many of the best and most desirable goods, yet to sell, such as Dress Goods, Cloaks, of all styles, Flannels, Furs, Ladies' Underwear, Saques, Trimmings, Ribbons, Piece Goods, &c.

Ladies are requested to attend. jan152t W. F. BASER & CO.

WANTED-S TABLE BOARDERS.
Apply No. 34, Fourth avenue, N. jan11-1w FOR SALE. - 7 ROOM HOUSE, ELM street, easy terms, monthly pay-

ments. Three 5 room houses, Shenandoah avenue N.E., good property, cheap.

Five room house, large lot, Hill street, very cheap, easy monthly pay-

installments.
NEAL, FEATHERSTONE & WENTZ,
No. 33 Third avenue.

NOTICE TO GENTLEMEN. I
have just received a lot of patent
elastic seam drawers, the best thing
ever shown in Roanoke, for sale at
P. ADLER'S,
jans tf 130 Salem avenue.

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THE STRONGEST FINANCIAL

I Institution in Southwest Virginia

—The Roanoke Trust. Loan and Safe
Deposit company. Capital and surplus, \$182,000. Pays interest on deposits.

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TE ROOM RESIDENCE FOR RENT,

Corner of Jefferson and Elm streets.

JAS. S. SIMMONS & CO.

FOR SALE-HOUSE OF 8 ROOMS, on Wells street. Price, \$1,600 cash, \$600 and \$25 per month. Apply to J. F. WINGFIELD, insurance and jan 3 tf real estate agent. FOR SALE-FIRE, LIFE AND

the world, and therefore the cheapest.

J. F. WINGFIELD, agent.

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OF REAL SALE -NICE FARM. 87

Pages good 5 room dwelling, 50 acres, good 5 room dwelling, 50 acres fine lumber, for only \$600 cash. Apply to J. F. WIN:+FIELD, Insurance and Real Estate Agent.

FOR SALE-NICE DWELLING, nine rooms, for \$1,650, in month-

ly payments of \$30.

Lot in Edgewood for \$300, \$50 cash and \$10 per month.

House and lot on Eighth avenue,

\$2,000, \$290 cash and \$25 per month. House and lot on Eighth avenue for

\$1,350, cash \$350 and \$20 per month. Hyde Park lots at \$250 to \$300 J. F. WINGFIELD, Insurance and Real Estate Agent, 143 Salem avenue.

SEASON WE have a line of Ladies' NEW-

MARKETS and JACKETS that we are offering at greatly reduced

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### JUST RECEIVED

A new lot Children's and Misses' long Cloaks and Jackets, ranging from

-USEFUL-

Full assortment Silk Hankkerchiefs.

Silk Mufflers, Fancy and Plain White Lineu Handkerchiefs. LADIES' AND GENTLEMENS'

SILK UMBRELLAS. Blankets, Comforts and Counterpanes, Lace Curtains and Poles.

A WORD FROM OUR

We have just replenished our stock of Wool and Fur Felt Hats and Turbines, Birds, Feathers, Plush and Silk

Velvets, in all colors. our fine assortment of Dress Goods. All we ask is an inspection, and we guarantee to please you.

42 Salem avenue.

MARKLEY'S

-ON-

## SALEM AVENUE,

MOOMAW BLOCK,

Large 8 room house, High street, on Is well supplied with a full fresh and varied stock of fancy and select

## **GROCERIES**

And all kinds of

---AND---

## LOCAL MATTERS.

HAPPENINGS IN AND AROUND THE CITY.

GATHERED BY OUR REPORTERS.

Regular Meeting of the City Fathers Further Action in Reference to the Stations and Agencies on the Clinch Roanoke and Southern Railread. A New Ordinance Adopted.

City council met last night pursu ant to adjournment, with Hon. H. S. Trout in the chair, and the following members present: Messrs. Buckner, Hanthorn, Scott, McConnell, Wood-ward, Ruggle, Sheehan, McCahn and

Permission was granted the Virginia Brewing company to build a side track from the Norfolk and Western

members of the council.

Mr. Buckner offered a resolution asking that the city solicitor be infifteen per cent. of its taxable values Adopted, Ayes, 10.

On motion of Mr. McConnell, the former ordinance in reference to the Roanoke and Southern railroad was repealed and the new ordinance The ordinance requires the railroad company to begin work a mile from Roanoke within ninety days from the time the subscription s voted and the road is to enter the city, and the terminal facilities selected

within six months.

The ordinances for bridges, for the hospital and city buildings were re pealed and readopted for the election

The public property committee was instructed to purchase a chair for the judge of the Hustings court. Mr. Sheehan moved that the peti-tion of Friendship flire compa-ny, asking for an enlargement of their present quarters, be referred to the fire and water

committee with power to act. Motion was carried, ayes, 10. City Solicitor Gibson was requested to have the boundary amendment to We haven't the space to enumerate the charter passed by the legislature. Mr Scott moved to reconsider the motion rejecting the mayor's mes-sage. Carried He also moved to refer the whole matter to the next

neeting of the council. Mr. Woodward moved to amend the motion by postponing the investiga-tion to a special meeting to be called by the president for that purpose It was so ordered.

Dr. G. S. Luck sent in his resignation from the board of health which was accepted. Another vacancy occurred owing to Dr. Cooper having

left the city. The filling of these vacancies was referred to the health committee to recommend and report By G.L. Stevens, General Auctioneer. Checkered Front Grocery so the council.

A Wonderful Attraction.

"He She, Him and Her," the come dy success of the year, one of the greatest attractions offered at the opera house, will be played on the 16th inst. The New York World in

Speaking of the comedy says:
Theatre-goers who enjoy wildly hilarious extravagance will find a very good sample of the same at the People of the sam ple's theatre this week. He, She, Him and Her is the name of it, and it and Her is the name of it, and it opened last night to a well-filled house, that showed by its liberal applause and frequent encores that it thoroughly enjoyed the performance. George H. Adams as Toby is acrobattically clever and quietly humorous. Toma Hanlon, a rough soubrette of excelent quality, sang a number of familiar songs, looked pretty, and exhibited a number of graceful dancing steps. The company was above the average.

Stockholders Meeting.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the National Exchange Bank held yesterday morning, the following board of directors was elected for the ensuing year: T. T. Fishburne, J. T. Fingleby, R. H. Fishburne, Thomas Engleby, John W. Woods, J. M. Harris, W. P. Moomaw, Lee H. Simmons, J. B. Andrews, J. P. Bell, and T. E. Murrell. Immediately after their election the board of directors held a meeting and elected the following of meeting and elected the following of-ficers: T. T. Fishburne, president; ficers: T. T. Fishburne, president; Joseph T. Engleby, vice president; J. B. Fishburne, cashier; B. Rust, teller; W. R. Engleby, bookkeeper. The re port of the president for the past year was read and showed the bank to be in a very flourishing condition.

Mr. N. Ezekiel arrived in the city yesterday evening in company with Major Alexander Hart, of Staunton, who will assist him in the initiation of about twenty charter members of the Royal Arcanum. Those who are to be initiated are requested to assem-ble at the lodge promptly at 7.30

A Fine View.

Mr. Charles Fox visited Vinton yes terday and while on a knowl about a mile east of that place, looked upon saven counties as follows: Bedford, Botetourt, Floyd, Franklin, Craig, Roanoke and Montgomery. Very few cities in this state are near so many counties as Roanoke.

for collection.

J. A. FISHBURNE & SON.

SALT The destroyer of Catarrh and Bronchitis, but life to the victim is A. B. C. Tome and Experiment.

LYNCHBURG'S VOTE.

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A "Wet" Majority of Seven -The Coler

Special to the TIMES.

LYNCHBURG, Va. January 14. The local option fight resulted in a majority for the "Wets" of seven. The white and colored vote was divided about equally.

CIRCULAR TO AGENTS.

Valley Rattroad.

Colonel A. Pope, general freight agent of the Norfolk and Western railread company, has issued the following circular to agents and conductors concerning the operating of additional stations on the Clinch Valley division of that road, and the establishing of agents thereat:
"In addition to the stations opened

to traffic on said division, as recited in circular No. 185 K, of October 1st, 1888, and as given in the local distance tables and freight tariffs of this comtable and freight tariffs of this comt track to their property at corner of Norfolk avenue and Wise street.

The message of Mayor Carr in relation to officers Morris and Trout was read and discussed at considerable 1890, the distances between which and length, and on the question as to its the terminal, junction, or local points acceptance being put it was rejected, as it required a two-thirds vote of all are as per the table of distances dated

Mr. Buckner offered a resolution asking that the city solicitor be instructed to prepare a statute authorizing the city to increase its indebted ness at any time to not more than fifteen per cent of its tayable values. Agents will be located at all ofference of the tayable values.

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The Monthly Record.

Ticket No. 98,455 drew the first cap ital prize of \$600,000 in the 235th Grand Mammoth Drawing on Decem-Grand Mammoth Drawing on December 17th, in the Louisiana State Lottery. It was sold in fractional parts of fertieths at \$1 each, sent to M. A. Dauphin, New Orleans, La. One to Agency Bank of British North America, 52 Wall street, New York City; one to Z. A. Hakes, Cairo, Ill.; one to Arthur Harrison, New York; one to Chas. E. Woodson, Memphis, Tenn.; one to John B. Young, Hamilton, Ontario; one to Merchants Bank of Pensacola, Fla.; one to First National Bank, Corsicana, Tex. one to E. T. Bank, Corsicana, Tex., one to E. T. Bellis, 2228 Walnut street, St. Louis. by the president for that purpose It was so ordered.

The finance committee was instructed to purchase five maps of Roanoke from G. W. Baist.

An ordinance was passed prohibiting cows from running at large at night, which takes effect Februrary 1st.

Dr. G. S. Luck sent in his resignal. the second capital prize of \$200,000 and was sold in fractional eighths at \$5 each. One to a Depositer Traders Bank, New Orleans, La., two to Ol. Hartman, through Irwins Bank, Co-lumbus, Ind., one to a depositor New Orleans National Bank, New Orleans, La.; etc. Ticket No. 35,961 drew the third capital prize of \$100,000. It was sold in fractional quarters at \$10 each. One to Byron D. Houghton, Oswego, N. Y., etc. Ticket No. 7,988 Co., Elkhorn Coal and Coke drew the fourth capital prize of \$50.

000. It was sold in fractional parts of fortieths at \$1 each; one to Britton & Koontz. Natchez, Miss; one to Christian Kehler, Natchez, Miss.; one to I. Liebmann, for Louis L. Levin, 108 Canal street, New York; one to Thomas Boland, Boston, Mass.; one to S. Friedman, 26 Elm street, New York City; one to L. C. Jandorf, 34 Maiden Lane, New York City; one to John McCarvill. 14 Clarkson street. drew the fourth capital prize of \$50. Shamokin Coal and Coke John McCarvill, 14 Clarkson street., New York City. The 237th Grand wonthly Drawing will take place on Tuesday, February 11, of which all information will be furnished on ap plication to M. A. Dauphin, New Or-

New Advertisements. Attention is called to the new advertisement of 'r. W. E. Eustler, the pho-tographer, number 23 Salem avenue. Those wanting a correct picture for themselves or their sweetheart would do well to give him a call. He is an experienced artist, having had many years' experience, and guarantees his

Read the notice of the Brooklyn Life

Insurance company in the want Mr. T. F. Jamison will be here on the 17th with some fine mules and horses. Read his advertisement. Read the advertisement of Mr. G L. column. Stevens, the auctioneer. He is going to sell the entire stock of goods be-longing to W. F. Baker & Co., on

Approaching Marriage.

Salem avenue.

Cards of invitation have been issued to the marriage of Mr. J T. Hall, of the Roanoke Times, to Miss Susan Harris, of Jacksonville, Va. The in-teresting event will take place on the 6th of next month, at the residence of the bride's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. K. Harris, in Jacksonville. Mr Hall is an energetic and successful young business man, and has a host of friends in this city, who will be pleased to learn of his approaching good future.

Hustings Court. The case of W. E. Kefauver, on motion of commonwealth's attorney, Smith, was nolle proseed and the prisoner discharged.

In the case of Mary Campbell, charged with assault to kill, the pris-

oner pleaded not guilty, and the case was continued till the next term. 

FLAT TOP COAL.

ABOVE WATER-LEVEL.

THE COAL IS FREE FROM FAULTS.

Openings on the Double Entry Sys-

The geologists class this field as belonging to the lowest member of the coal measures, No. 11 of Rogers, and as equivalent to the Quinnimont series of the New River and Kanawha regions. They claim there are three workable seams above water-level, but as yet the No. 3, known as the Nelson seam, is the only one that has been operated in. This is found, as far as developed, high above water-level, affording easy natural drainage for all workings.

All openings are drifts, some of them high up on the mountain side, requiring incline planes. The coal is free from faults. Clay veins, spars, rolls or horsebacks are never found in it. Everything handled by the miner is placed in the wagon except in some districts a small streaked termed "bony coal" is found near the top which is condemned by the inspect.

on the Norfolk and Western railroad, are as per the table of distances dated August 15th, 1889, incorporated in the local freight tariff.

"The stations in Virginia are Max well, Pounding Mill, Cedar Bluff, is placed in the wayon exemt in some is placed in the wagon except in some districts a small streaked termed "bony coal" is found near the top stations except Maxwell and Richland, as indicated above, and freight can be received and forwarded for delivery at said stations, without

slack for the ovens. A very pretty grade of nut coal is now going into market from this region for domestic purposes The mines have natural drainage and are ventilated with large fans, enabling them to run locomolism, enabling them to run locomolism. men employed:

COMPANY. Southern Virginia Improvement Co., Poca-400 1,000 John Cooper & Co., Blue-150 450 stone. Caswell Coal and CokaCo., 350 130 91 50 175 .... 100 140 300 Co., Elkhorn..... 100

Total ...... 1,721 4,015 

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Mr. B. F. Simmons, who has been ill for several days, we are glad to note, was able to be out and at work yesterday.

Mr. Walter Mi

increased.

The following statement shows the the following statement shows from the Pocahontas Flat Top district, and distribution thereof for the year 1889, as compared with the year 1888:

1889-CARS. 1888-CARS. To points on the N. & W. R.R....9,001 To points on the S. V. R. R. .... 690 Points on other R. R in Va. . . 13 14 Southern points south of Bristol.6,127 2,717 527

table of shipments over the Norfolk and Western railroad will show, has been wonderful. This does not include the large amount of coal consumed in

THREE WORKABLE SEAMS cole making: 1883, 68,127 tons; 1884, 196,283 tons; 1885, 581,681 tons; 1886, 857,960 tons; 1887, 1,149,278 tons; 1888, 1,524,742 tons.

Hotel Arrivals.

PALACE .- W T Blackard, Bristol, Tenn; H Newton, Lynchburg, Va; Henry J Egburn, Bristol, Tenn; F B Carthright, Lynchburg, Va; H M tem-Increase in Amount of Coal Woods, Baltimore; G B Knowling, Mined Total Tonnage Shipped for Petersburg, Va; J L Colder, Hagerstown, Md; Geo M Mullen, J M Carmrill, Liberty, Va; John Whittey, J H Moore, Chicago; Frank P Cord,

larity as a summer resort.

delivery at said stations, without requiring prepayment.

"The company's current local miles age freight tariff will apply on all freight traffic between the stations as named, and all points on the Clinch Valley extension, main line or other branches of the road, subject to the local freight classification, now current. Through rates will be published between said Clinch Valley division stations and the Eastern cities or Western cities and other points beyond the line of the Norfolk and Western railroad, as the necessities of the traffic require."

At the meeting of stockholders of the First National Bank yesterday, the First National Ba At the meeting of stockholders of

Commercial National Bank. At the stockholders' meeting of the Commercial national bank, yesterday, the following officers and directors were elected: President, J. W. Coon;

o'clock. The wound was dressed by Dr. Sims and at 3:25 o'clock Carey went back to work.

Charged With Cutting. C. L. Mathen, charged with cutting a man named Humphreys on the leg with a pen-knife on the evening of the 9th inst., was arrested in the West End Norfolk and Western yards last night by Officer P. N. Bowers.

Mr. John O. Kizer, of Aunspaugh stoned the British cons authorities have since pla guard at the consulate to ings court, is seriously ill. He has a from further molestation. host of friends in this city who wish for him a speedy recovery.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Comings and Goings of People We Know.

Mr. Thomas Lewis is visiting friends in Salem. Rev. J. S. Hutchinson, of Salem,

was in the city yesterday. Messrs. T. D. Sexton and W. H. Carter, of Buchanan, are in the city. Colonel John T. Gibson, of Charlestown, W. Va., is a guest at Hotel

Captain J. M. Fitz, one of the pro-prietors of the Rockbridge Alum springs, is in the city prospecting, Mr. Wm. B. Gallaher of Waynesboro Va., was visiting relatives in this city

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ty, Texas, who has been visiting relatives in this city and county for the tives in this city and county for the past month, left for home yesterday. of the Franklin road, to Dalby & Co. Mr. B. A. Jones left yesterday for Southwest Virginia on business for the firm of Fishburne, Jones & Co.

He will be absent several days.

Mr. E. W. Sykes purchased eight

T. M. Sanderson and A. L. Pedigo, of Vinton, left yesterday for Graham where they have accepted positions on the furnace now in course of construction there. Miss May, daughter of Mrs. Valentine, of 125 Seventh avenue, S. E., is quite ill. Her friends hope she may soon be restored to her usual good

## OVER THE WIRES

ITEMS FROM ALL POINTS OF THE COMPASS.

PRICE--FIVE CENTS

### PROCEEDINGS IN BOTH HOUSES.

Bill to Simplify the Laws in Regard to Collection of Revenue-The Silcott Defalcation Case-To Appropriate \$75,000 to Members.

By Associated Press.

antagonized by Mr. Adams, of Illinois, who wished the house to consider the Silcott matter, and the motion was defeated, 65 to 91. Mr. Bland, of Missouri, demanded the tellers, declaring that the matter involving the interests that the matter involving the interests of 100,000 peop'e should be considered prior to the one which involved only individual interests of the members The friends of the Oklahoma bill were again defeated 96 to 108, and Mr. Adams called up the Silcott report, accompanied by the bill appropriat-ing \$75,000 to reimburse the members for losses incurred through the Silcott

### Opposition to the Standard

By Associated Press. . NEW YORK, January 14.—The Sun says that a combination is being made between some of the principal oil pro-ducers of Pennsylvania and foreign capitalists looking to the construction of a system of pipe lines rivaling that of the Standard oil trust. It is stated that the foreigners are purchasing ten million dollars' worth of wells outright, and are making friendly alliances with the owners of all the

Doctors Busy at Norfolk.

By Associated Press. NORFOLK, Va., January 14.-The police, fire department, railroads, street car lines, ferries. &c., are all attacked by the grippe, and six or seven hundred cases are in the two cities. at the rock quarry near the stock yards, had the large toe of his right foot cut off yesterday afternoon at 2 Some of the doctors report fifty cases on their hands, and the doctors themselves have it. Lieutenant J. G. Mc-Whorter, of the marine corps, was sent to the hospital Saturday very ill with the disease.

Assault on the British Consulate.

3v Associated Press. OPORTO, January 14—A noisy crowd wandered through the streets last night cheering for independence and the integrity of Portugal, and shouting "Down with England!" The crowd attacked and stoned the British consulate. The authorities have since placed a police guard at the consulate to protect it

United States Senator Elected.

By Associated Press. Constable H. C. Allen, of Wythe county, arrived in the city yesterday, and will take home with him today T. J. Franklin, who is to be tried there on the charge of obtaining goods under false pretenses.

ANAPOLIS, Md., January 14.—
Hon. E. K. Wilson, democrat, was elected United States Senator by the following vote: In the House—E. K. Wilson, 50; Thomas S. Hodgeson, 28. In the Senate—E. K. Wilson, 16; Thomas S. Hodgeson, 6.

The "Winter's Tale." A fair audience greeted the McLean-Prescott company at the Opera house last night on the occasion of their rendition of "A Winter's Tale." Miss Prescott in the dual character of "Hermione" and "Perdita" was all that her admirers could claim for her while Mr. Molegar as "Leontes" king

that her admirers could claim for her, while Mr. McLean as "Leontes," king of Sicilia, filled the role with the ability which characterizes all his impersonations of Shakespearean characters. The rest of the cast was excellent and the applause was frequent and enthusiastic. Mr. McLean evidently has a bright future before him as an actor. Returned With His Bride.

Mr J. H. Marsteller, proprietor of the Jefferson street marble yard, has returned from Clearfield, Pa., bring-

Sale of an Iron Mine. Messrs. Robert Coon and George

Mr. E. W. Sykes purchased eight acres of land from Jacob Trout yesterday near the new West End furnace for \$100 an acre. The land contains a bank of sand on it 15 feet deep.

President J. W. Coon and Vice-president C. O'Leary, of the Commer-cial National bank, left last night on a business trip to New York, Phila-delphia and Baltimore.